



07/30/01


| Class | Subclass |
|-------|----------|
|       |          |

**ISSUE CLASSIFICATION**

**BEST AVAILABLE COPY**

PATENT NUMBER

## U.S. UTILITY Patent Application

|   |             |
|---|-------------|
| O.I.P.E.  | PATENT DATE |
|  |             |

|                              |                 |              |                 |                  |                                   |
|------------------------------|-----------------|--------------|-----------------|------------------|-----------------------------------|
| APPLICATION NO.<br>09/916446 | CONT/PRIOR<br>F | CLASS<br>600 | SUBCLASS<br>422 | ART UNIT<br>3737 | EXAMINER<br><del>BRAX</del> SMITH |
|------------------------------|-----------------|--------------|-----------------|------------------|-----------------------------------|

## APPLICANTS

Katsumi Kose

**3.1.1**

### Apparatus and methods for diagnosing osteoporosis and other diseases with MR imaging

PTO-2040  
12/99[illegible]

|   |  |             |                                   |                                      |
|---|--|-------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>TERMINAL<br/>DISCLAIMER</b>   | <b>DRAWINGS</b>                              |             | <b>CLAIMS ALLOWED</b>             |                                      |
|   | Sheets Drwg.                                 | Figs. Drwg. | Print Fig.                        | Total Claims<br>Print Claim for O.G. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> The term of this patent subsequent to _____ (date) has been disclaimed.<br><br><input type="checkbox"/> The term of this patent shall not extend beyond the expiration date of U.S. Patent. No. _____<br>_____<br>_____  | _____<br>(Assistant Examiner) (Date)         |             | <b>NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE MAILED</b> |                                      |
|   | _____<br>(Primary Examiner) (Date)           |             | <b>ISSUE FEE</b>                  |                                      |
|   |  |             | Amount Due                        | Date Paid                            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> The terminal _____ months of this patent have been disclaimed.   | _____<br>(Legal Instruments Examiner) (Date) |             | <b>ISSUE BATCH NUMBER</b>         |                                      |
| <b>WARNING:</b><br>The information disclosed herein may be restricted. Unauthorized disclosure may be prohibited by the United States Code Title 35, Sections 122, 181 and 368. Possession outside the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office is restricted to authorized employees and contractors only. |  |             |                                   |                                      |

Form PTO-438A  
(Rev. 6/99)

FILED WITH: ☐ DISK (CRF) ☐ FICHE ☐ CD-ROM  
(Attached in pocket on right inside flap)

(FACE)